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TO AGENTS. THE CANADIAN NEEDLE Co., 46 and 48 Front Street East, Toronto get up the Neatest, most Complete and Best Selling Needle Package in America. Send 25 Cents for Sample of New No. 4, finished in fine Plush. Particulars sent when stamps are enclosed for reply.

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LOST.—An Order on Messrs. Cowan & Shaw in favor of Peter Gore was lost on Tuesday night. The finder will please leave same at this office. aug18 6t

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TO LET.—A neatly furnished 7-roomed house in a centrally located part of the city, with all conveniences. Will be let on reasonable terms to a good tenant. Apply at the TIMES office. au22 6t

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VICTORIA-COLUMBIA Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B. C. R.—Regular Communication the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple corner Douglas and Fisguard streets. mar21 12m R. B. ESNOUF, Secretary.

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Shippers must notify us when room for freight is required.

No Freight received after 5 p.m. Friday, 26th August.

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FOR SALE ONLY BY

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AGENCY OF THE

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J. B. HARRISON, *Plaintiff,*

—AND—

The Victoria Transfer Co., Ld., *Defendants.*

Pursuant to the order of Sir M. Begbie, Knight Chief Justice, made this day, the undersigned has been appointed Receiver of all the estate credits and effects, both real and personal of the VICTORIA TRANSFER CO. Ld., and all parties indebted to the said Company are notified to pay the same to me forthwith, and to no other person.

JAMES CHAS. PREVOST, Receiver.

Dated the 19th Aug., 1887.

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VICTORIA, B. C.

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Comfortable Home for Permanent Boarders

—OR—

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John Wieland's celebrated Philadelphia Lager Beer always on draft. Free Lunch and Lunch to order. Polite attention.

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S. C. BURRIS, ARCHITECT,

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One rising two years and the other rising three, from the best stock on the Island.

Apply to WM. FORREST, Cowichan.

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Yards and Cesspools cleaned, Wells dug and cleaned. Contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with J. [illegible], corner of Government and Broughton streets, or Bossi & Giesselman, Yates street, will be promptly attended to. aug22 1y

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that GEORGE H. COVENTRY, lately employed by us, is no way connected with, or authorized to solicit Life Insurance or collect money for us.

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17th August, 1887. aug 17-1m

NOTICE.

ALL MEMBERS OF THE LATE VOLUNTEER Fire Department having claims against the Charitable Fund are requested by the Trustees to send in their

TIME OF SERVICE

To J. SEARS, Yates street, on or before the 31st August. au12 td

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Teacher Wanted.

A DULY QUALIFIED TEACHER wanted for Prairie Public School. Applications to be sent to ROBERT [illegible], Secretary of Trustees.

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FOR FAMILY USE,

IS THE BEST.

Ask your Grocer for it. Have no other.

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Are Clogging up the Treasury.

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Are Welcome Wherever They Go.

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Except Trade Dollars, and Will Give You

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We are offering Bargains in Dry Goods and Men's Furnishing Goods which make

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All Goods Marked in Plain Figures.

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LIVERY and HACK RATES.

This Company have the Largest and Finest Stables and the Best Stock of Horses and Vehicles in the City.

A Special Reduction in Livery charges is made for those desiring a short drive after Six in the evening.

Hacks supplied any hour of the day or night at reasonable and uniform rates. jul6

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Hacks, Hansoms and Livery Stables.

New Buggies, Good Driving and Saddle Horses constantly on hand.

Special attention paid to Boarding Horses.

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Cormorant Street, Victoria,

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UNDER THE BAN.

Proclamation of the Irish National League by the Government.

What is Thought of the Act in London and in Ireland—Views of the Press.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—The announcement of the burning of the steamer City of Montreal and the proclamation of the National League were made simultaneously on Friday afternoon by the news boys throughout the metropolis. The excitement became so intense that the speed of the press in running off the evening editions was strained to its utmost capacity. For a few hours it was a rich harvest to the news vendors. The announcement was made by Lord Salisbury in the House of Lords, who read the act with an air of a man, saying, "A Roland for your late election Oliver in the Commons."

Mr. Johnston asked the Chief Secretary for Ireland whether he could inform the House if the National League had been proclaimed, as announced, by the Prime Minister in another place.

Mr. Balfour—I have to announce that the Lord Lieutenant, by advice of the Privy Council, has to-day, by a proclamation which I have already laid on the table of the House, declared the National League to be a dangerous association under section 6 of the Crimes Act [derisive Parnellite cheers], and has thus taken the power under that statute to prohibit and suppress that association, by order, in any district where such a step may be required to prevent intimidation or interference with the administration of the law. I am desired by my Right Honorable friend, the leader of the House, to say that if it is intended to take the opinion of the House on the action of the Irish executive in this matter, in the manner provided for by the Act, Thursday next will be reserved for the purpose.

Mr. Sexton inquired whether the House was to understand that these powers were being taken against the National League simply as an association tending to interfere with the administration of the law.

Mr. Balfour—The two sub-heads of the sixth clause, which are mentioned in the proclamation I have named, are as follows. I had perhaps better read a sentence from the proclamation: "Where we are satisfied that there exists in Ireland an association known by the name of the Irish National League." This announcement gave rise to an animated debate and elicited ironical cheers from the Parnellites. The word "lie" and "liar" was frequently used by those taking part in the debate. They were Messrs. J. O'Connor, Tipperary; T. Harrington, Sexton and Balfour. In answer to the suggestion that until the people fully understood that before an order was issued by the Lord-Lieutenant, with regard to any particular district, the power of the proclamation should not be enforced, Mr. Balfour said that a council meeting was to be held that afternoon relative to this matter, at which he expected Viceroy Ashbourne and the Attorney-General to be present, but what the result would likely be he was not prepared to say.

VIEWS OF THE LONDON PRESS.

On the day following the proclamation of the League each morning paper devoted great mention to the circumstance. The *Post*, the Government organ, asserted that the proclamation of the Irish National League in conjunction with the action of the Government in regard to the Lords' amendment to the Irish Land bill would severely strain the relations between the Government and the Liberal-Unionists' majority, who are opposed to the proclamation of the League at the present moment.

The severance between Messrs. Chamberlain and Russell and the Liberal-Unionists is an event of uncommon moment. It is difficult to forecast how these gentlemen will vote in the future. It is contended that they will continue to vote with the Unionists on all questions affecting the maintenance of the union.

The *Daily News* stingingly attacks the government for the proclamation under the heading "The Final Plunge," and is of opinion that, nevertheless, whatever is healthy and good in the National League will be able to work on just the same as ever. The sole effect of the government policy is to bring all that is enlightened and just in English opinion and feeling to the side of the Irish tenant. He will have no need of conspiracy to uphold him against injustice, and he knows it.

The *Times* fairly dances, in type, with joy over the proclamation and airs a new chapter of Parnellism and crime.

The *Standard* has little to say and seemingly apologizes for the proclamation on the ground that it is necessary to prevent parliament being called after recess.

WHAT THE IRISH PRESS SAYS.

The Dublin *Freeman's Journal* says: The cabinet method of procedure will be to proclaim the league as a whole as a dangerous association, and while parliament is sitting they will only proceed against any branches against which a colorable case can be made out. When parliament is up the government will proceed against the league branches throughout Ireland. They see that the game is up in this country, and intend to fish for the public feeling in England.

The *Evening Telegraph*, the Nationalist organ, says: The constant blundering of the government shows that if they intend to govern Ireland, according to the logical sequence of principles, they cannot escape from the alternative that there is no half-way house between legislation by ministerial violence and Vice-Regal tyranny. The proclamation was expected. It is what lawyers call a "Statute condition" precedent to the Viceroy issuing an order of suppression and gag procedure in any special district.

Owing to the lateness of the hour, the Dublin evening papers had little opportunity to express themselves. The *Evening Mail*, *Evening News* and the Irish organs expressed their peculiar views in anticipation of the proclamation.

THE FEELING IN DUBLIN.

The officers of the National League in Dublin informed a press representative on Saturday that while the league may be proclaimed, it in no way would interfere with the regular working of the organization throughout the country. The assistant secretary of the league, who is in charge in the absence in London of Harrington, M. P., said they had every confidence in the wisdom and judgment of the Irish people under the able leadership of Parnell in the present crisis. The people have been so accustomed to proclamations that this one will be viewed very complacently by those whom it sought to injure, and will not have the intended effect. Other representatives of the league called on said that the league will exist again under another name, and the work will go bravely on. That the people were never more self-reliant or more determined than now; that they have the majority of the people of England at their back and the sympathy of the world to sustain them.

WHAT PROMINENT MEN THINK.

Concerning the proclamation of the league, William O'Brien said to-day: The proclamation as it stands will not impede the work of the league. I regard it as a better indication of the hopeless position of the Government, than even the Northwich election.

Sexton expressed himself as follows: The league was proclaimed under clauses which the Government did not allow to be discussed in the Commons. This action will have the effect of clarifying the atmosphere. Lord Hartington will probably throw his lot with the Conservatives, while Chamberlain may return to the Liberal party. The Government is answerable for destroying the league's power of restraint.

Harrington said: The action of the Government is an idle display. If it goes farther our men will continue to work. I myself am going to Dublin to take charge there. The Government's policy will, undeniably, strengthen the Liberals of Great Britain.

Parnell, Dillon, O'Brien and other nationalists have started for Dublin. Some of them will return to assist in the debate Thursday, when Gladstone will move an address to the Crown, denouncing the proclamation of the league.

Most of the Liberals welcome the action of the Government, on the ground that it will tend to hasten Gladstonian reaction in Great Britain. A number of Liberal members of the Commons will proceed to Ireland to prove their sympathy with the league. The Tories are chagrined over the prospect of a prolongation of the session. The bulk of the Unionists approve the Government's action.

TO BE CHALLENGED.

After the Chief Secretary's announcement last night the Parnellite members held a meeting, and subsequently Parnell left by the night mail for Ireland. The proclamation of the league will be challenged Thursday next by a motion for an address to the Crown, and it is understood that Gladstone will return to town in order to take part in the debate. In the belief that the proclamation of the league would not take place until the estimates had been disposed of, several of the Irish representatives had made arrangement to leave London to-night for a short holiday, returning in time to discuss the Irish votes. This plan has now been abandoned, and the whole of the Nationalists here will remain at their places until further notice, and urgent summonses are being sent out to bring back those who have gone away.

H. B. CO.'S COUNCIL.

Approaching Gathering of Factors—A Memorable Event.

Winnipeg this year has been the scene of two important clerical gatherings. The next conference—the gathering there of the managers and factors of the Hudson Bay Company next week, promises to be one of great interest and fraught with much importance to the trade of British Columbia and the Northwest. Of the number to be present on that occasion Victoria will contribute two of her most respected citizens, Messrs. T. R. Smith and A. Munro, who leave for the east tomorrow morning in order to be present at the opening of the conference on the 30th. Under the provisions of a document, which every commissioned officer of the company is required to agree to, the Commissioner has power to call together the officers to consider matters pertaining to the trade of the company, and advise thereon. The present time being fraught with considerable importance to the interests of the company, the Commissioner has convened the council for the objects above named. The last general council was held in Prince Albert in 1883. It is reported that in addition to other matters a new set of rules and regulations for the service, adapted to the times, has been framed and will be laid before the council for consideration. The company are prepared to enter upon a vigorous, energetic policy, both in their commercial and fur-trading departments, and very pronounced effects are expected. In bygone times the councils of the company were generally held at Norway House or Carleton, being the most convenient localities. The attendance at the councils in those times was but small, being limited to the officers of the Northern department alone, the difficulties of traveling preventing a thoroughly representative gathering of the whole company. Next Tuesday's gathering will include, for the first time, the Company's officers from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from the shores of the St. Lawrence to the Arctic circle. The meeting is being largely looked forward to; many old friendships will be revived and several officers who know each other only by name will meet for the first time.

Mortuary Statistics.

The Dominion mortuary statistics for the month of July are to hand. Comparing Victoria with several eastern cities of the same size we find the showing to be a favorable one for this city. In Victoria, with a population in the neighborhood of 13,000, with defective drainage and a total disregard of the health by-law in Chinatown we find the death rate to have been 18, as follows: Measles 1, typhus 1, diarrhœa 1, local 8, developmental 1, violent death 1; total 13. Brantford had 24; Belleville 24; St. Thomas 27, 12 of whom were violent, caused by the late collision; Sherbrook 42; Winnipeg 86; Kingston 22; Three Rivers 40, Guelph 12, Woodstock 13. Montreal's death rate was very heavy, the number being 706, Toronto 327, Quebec 263 and Hamilton 72. It will thus be observed that Victoria's record is a creditable one.

POLICE COURT.

(Before E. Johnson, Q. C., S. M.)

Ah Jim, supplying an intoxicant; four months' hard labor.

Tommy, a Kit-Kalta, having an intoxicant in his possession; $25, or one week's hard labor.

Annie, a Cowichan Indian, on remand; discharged.

Wm. Blue and Ah Tong, on remand; discharged.

Tom, a Hydah, on remand from 23rd; fined $25, or month at hard labor.

The charge laid against Chas. Miller was withdrawn.

James Kelly and Chas. Nelson, further remanded for three days.

AT POINT OF BAYONET.

Sir John Threatens Manitoba with British Regulars.

The National League — Archbishop Seghers' Murderer.

THE RIDGEWAY FUND.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—Lord Rothschild has given fifty pounds to the Ridgeway defence fund, having been one of the trustees of the fund. The *Times* gives two guineas. The Kante fund now amounts to £120, rather a poor result, as Ridgeway had to pay £500 damages and costs for his pioneer work.

DUBLIN DEMONSTRATION.

DUBLIN, Aug. 23.—The land league demonstration, held in the rotunda tonight, was so large that it was necessary to hold two overflowing meetings. The Phœnix brewery band discoursed National airs, while the crowd was waiting for the speakers. There were frequent cheers for Gladstone and groans for the Tories. Among the members of parliament present were Messrs. Jacob, Cobb, Bright, Holden, Sutherland, Fenwick, Dillon, O'Brien, Hartington and Kenny. The English members were welcomed with cheering, and their speeches were rapturously received.

PROCLAIMING THE LEAGUE.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—The National League is quiescent. No definate charge can be brought against it, but there is a clause in the coercion act which renders it necessary either that Parliament should be sitting, or that it should at once be called together, whenever an association is proclaimed in Ireland by the executive, and so as to save all trouble the Government has proclaimed the National League. The effect of this is that the Executive may, without further intervention of Parliament, at any time during recess, declare that any man on going to the League may be sent to prison for six six months. To meet this proceeding it is the intention of a considerable number of English, Welsh and Scotch members to become members of the League at any time the Government acts on its proclamation and sends men to prison for belonging to this proclaimed association. These members will at once proceed to Ireland.

AMERICAN NEWS.

AMERICA FOR AMERICANS.

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 23.—The new party of which brief mention in general telegraph news was made on Monday last, claiming headquarters at Philadelphia and having lodges in every state in the union, has a lodge here. It was instituted a week ago. The principles of the party are to *emphasize* and perpetuate the sentiment of "America for Americans," reduction of immigration, a thorough revision of naturalization laws, reserving American lands for American citizens only; the protection of Americans in all their rights on land or sea in all parts of the world; to restrict and guard the rights of the elective franchise; to abolish polygamy in the United States and territories; to enact and enforce such laws as tend to eradicate intemperance; to develop the resources of the country by a wise system of internal improvements; to protect and promote the American system of free common schools; to adjust the relations of American labor and capital on a permanent basis of equity and justice. The party favors requiring foreigners to reside in this country twenty-one years before being allowed elective franchise. The September convention will be devoted to formulating a scheme to thoroughly organize each State, county and township with a view to putting in the field in July next a candidate for president and vice-president.

TAKING A LEGACY IN ADVANCE.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 24.—Among the passengers by the German Lloyd steamship Rhine, which arrived yesterday, were Louis P. Greening and Catharine Schrieber, both 19 years of age. They belong in Bremin, where the girl's father is a wealthy contractor and builder. The young people came to this country, the girl taking 13,000 marks of her father's money, and were going to Nebraska to settle down on a farm. They were immediately arrested by the German Consul, to whom the matter had been cabled, and will be shipped back on the 31st. Miss Schrieber said that the 13,000 marks she took she regarded as her portion, she would have received that much by her father's will, and did not consider it any harm to take it in advance.

ALASKA SALMON PACK.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 22.—Advices have been received that the run of salmon at Karlak cannery, on Kodiak Island, has been extraordinay. Fish came along in large numbers during the month of June, and by July 12th employees had caught and canned fish enough to fill 30,000 cases. The company expect to put up at least 70,000 cases of fish this season. Their entire catch has already been disposed of. On Cook's Inlet cannery hands are working night and day, while at Nushejuk river establishments a similar condition of affairs exists.

ENORMOUS CATTLE LOSSES.

COLORADO, Aug. 24.—A gentleman just in from the upper Panhandle, says that the reports of loss of cattle by the Capital syndicate have not in the least been exaggerated. The company has thousands more cattle than it has water to supply, and they are dying by the thousands. One of the employes of the syndicate told this gentleman that the losses for previous twenty-two days would average five hundred head per day.

ARBITRATION MEMORIAL.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—The memorial in favor of arbitration of international differences is to be presented to the President and Congress by a deputation from England.

FUNDS FOR THE LEAGUE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—A draft for $3,000, San Francisco's first response to the proclamation of the Irish National League by Salisbury, was mailed to-day to Charles O'Reilly, treasurer of the American League, at Detroit.

THE SEALERS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 22.—Captain Murray, of the bark Pearl, spoke two sealing schooners. The Lottie Fairchild, of Nova Scotia, was seen about 54 deg. north 170 deg. west. She had 1900 sealskins. After that the schooner Allie I. Alger, of Port Townsend, was spoken. She had 900 sealskins aboard. She reported that that the schooner Adele had been spoken shortly before with 80 seals.

THE ARCHBISHOP'S MURDERER.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 22.—The officers of the cutter Bear found Fuller, murderer of Archbishop Seghers, and Lieut. Kennedy, who had been sworn as United States Deputy Marshal, at Onnalaska, arrested him on a warrant issued by United States Commissioner Johnston, and he was taken on board the cutter. On the Bear's return south Fuller will probably be conveyed to Sitka for trial. Three witnesses are also on board the Bear, and they will be kept to give evidence. The general opinion at St. Michael's regarding Fuller is that he is insane.

GOVERNOR BARTLETT'S CONDITION.

OAKLAND, Cala., Aug. 24.—Governor Bartlett, who was stricken with paralysis on Monday night, rested well last evening and his physician pronounces him better this morning. The physician is unable to predict ultimate recovery yet, but he anticipates no immediate fatal results.

CANADIAN NEWS.

AT THE BAYONET'S POINT.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 24.—It is stated to-day that the legislature will be promptly summoned to abolish the injunction issued to restrain the Red River Valley Railway from laying ties and rails upon lots belonging to Sir Donald A. Smith, of the Canadian Pacific, on the route of the road. The legislature will also re-enact disallowance laws. The threat of Sir John Macdonald, telegraphed here, that he would send out British regulars to coerce the province into submission, is treated with contempt, and has gone far to crystalize a feeling of intense hatred against the Dominion Government, and a determination to build the road at the bayonet's point. Material for completing construction is commencing to arrive and the work will be done in time to move this season's crop.

RED RIVER VALLEY RAILROAD.

Sir D. A. Smith Applies for Injunctions—Determination of Citizens.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 23.—Two bills of complaint were filed in the office of the Registrar at the court house on behalf of Sir Donald A. Smith, to prohibit the Red River Valley road from crossing his property in St. Norbert. They are almost similar to that filed on Saturday by Mr. Browning, except that they ask that matters be referred to the Master to take account of damages, loss and injury which the plaintiff has sustained by reason of the defendant in constructing the roadbed through his lands, and that they have to pay the same. There is no doubt that should the Court decide against Browning in his injunction matter, which is set for to-morrow morning, that other applications for injunctions will be made on facts set out in the two Smith's bills. The first consignment of rails for the Red River road arrived to-day.

It is the settled policy of the government to complete the road despite any legal proceedings. Att.-Gen. Hamilton has assured all concerned that if any arrests are made for contempt of court, he will promptly order the release of the prisoners. Indeed, the populace would smash in the jail and release the patriots. If any injunction is granted when the case comes up for argument to-morrow, the Legislature will be promptly summoned and the injunction abolished, as well as disallowed acts re-enacted.

DOMINION OF CANADA.

The News From all Quarters Boiled Down for the Times.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s earnings for the week ending Aug. 14th are $238,000; for the same week last year $197,000.

Hon. John Hamilton Gray is dead, aged 76. He was Premier of Prince Edward Island in 1862, and in 1864 presided over the Maritime union conference which resulted in Confederation.

Miss Adeline Caron, a cousin of Mr. Caron, M.P.P., was burned to death at Louisville on Friday night. She was carrying a lamp in her hand, when it exploded, setting fire to her clothes and burning her terribly.

The Ottawa *Citizen* has received an extremely interesting letter from Lord Dufferin, Governor-General of India. He states that his eldest son is now an officer in the 17th Lancers, quartered at Lucknow; his second son is preparing to enter the diplomatic service.

Andrew Hamilton, for many years clerk of NcNab township, Ont., dropped dead on the 15th inst.

Hon. Geo. Bryson has resigned his seat in the Quebec Legislative Council, and his son George has been appointed in his place. He was offered a portfolio by Mr. Mercier when he was forming his government last winter, but had to decline.

It is rumored that Mr. Chapleau has signified his determination to retire from the Dominion cabinet on his return from Europe.

In breaking ground near Kincardine, Ont., a skeleton, which, to all appearance, is that of a wild boar was found. All the bones, including the tusks and teeth, were in splendid condition.

THE SOUND STEAMERS.

Two of the Best Steamers on the Coast to Ply to Victoria.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—After her present trip the steamer Olympian will be placed on the line between Victoria and Tacoma, making alternate trips with the Alaskan.

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STRAWS.

"Straws" indicate unmistakeably the bent of public opinion as well as that of governments. The *Canadian Gazette* published in London, England, and acknowledged to be the organ of the Dominion Government as well as that of the Canadian Pacific Railway, by both of which it is patronized and kept in existence, in a recent issue severely criticises Mr. John Bright's letter on Commercial Union, which the *Gazette* maintains is a nasty blow at the new movement. The *Gazette* goes on to say that it does not regard Mr. Bright as a reliable guide, as he is never able to come within reasonable distance of a fair idea of Canada's position among the nations. It is somewhat significant that while the Canadian Tory papers are exulting over Mr. John Bright's utterances as damaging to the cause of Commercial Union, a paper wholly supported by Government funds as the exponent of the views of the Administration abroad should so vigorously assail his conclusions. If the government were as unalterably hostile to the scheme as some of the small-fry editors, who fancy they know Sir John's mind on the subject, suppose, their London organ would hardly take Mr. Bright to task in this fashion over the matter. To say the least it is a very significant "straw."

AN OBNOXIOUS ORDER.

The regulation promulgated by Mr. Parmelee during his recent visit to this city, relative to the inspection on board the China-Japan steamers at this port, it is well known, is a very obnoxious one, for it is the cause of an unnecessary detention of from 5 to 7 hours of the vessels, and is claimed by the owners of the line to be one of the reasons why they do not stop on the inward passage. The Board of Trade took the matter up a few days ago, and wired to the customs department requesting the withdrawal of the regulation, and substituting therefor the inspection of passengers for Victoria in a bonded house for that purpose. This it was hoped would overcome the alleged difficulty of not calling. On Tuesday, Mr. Robert Ward, President of the Board of Trade, received a message from Mr. Parmelee signing himself as chief comptroller of the Chinese, to the effect that "the existing Chinese certificates being examined before landing cannot be rescinded." Would it not be well for the Board of Trade to bring this subject to the notice of the Minister of Justice and the Postmaster General, both of whom are now in this city? They certainly could give their own views on the subject, and make favorable representations if they so desired to their colleagues of the necessity for a change. But what action is the city representatives taking in the matter? Are the electors to understand that their voice and representatives fails in effecting any good for the city's welfare? It is about time they asserted their rights in this and other kindred topics.

JOSEPH CHAMBERLAIN.

At the present time much interest is being taken in the movements of the Hon. Joseph Chamberlain who is now practically adrift from the Conservative-Liberal-Unionists, as well as the Liberal party, of the United Kingdom. He may safely be regarded as a veritable political Ishmael for the time being. A London cable of the 19th considers his action in pitching into the government on the previous evening for permitting the lords to influence its course in the matter of the Land Bill as clearly indicating that he is paving the way for returning to the Gladstonian camp as fast as opportunities present themselves. It was known that he had no desire to break with the government without cause and that it is now admitted he has in the proclamation of the National League. Mr. Chamberlain will doubtless endeavor to make the best terms he can with his cidevant companions in politics. Everything Mr. Chamberlain has said and done within the last month has furnished almost conclusive proof that the scales have fallen from his eyes, leaving him in clear view of the fact that if he would get under cover before the storm breaks he had better make haste to select his place of shelter. Mr. Chamberlain is, without doubt, the most thoroughly disappointed man in England, but he is too able a man to brood over his disappointments while yet there remains a chance of extricating himself from a dilemma. He is a much abler man than Lord Hartington. Indeed the two men are not to be compared in point of ability, but he was handicapped in his race for the Unionist leadership by the fact that his successful rival for that unenviable position is the son of a duke. He had dreamed for years of being a great leader, a leader in fact, of a party opposed to Toryism, and had he remained true to Mr. Gladstone no man in England could have wrested the mantle of the great Liberal chieftain, ill though it may have fitted him, when the English champion of Home Rule for Ireland should cast it aside for brighter robes in another world. Inflated by his success as leader of the Radical wing of the party, however, he could not brook the restraint put upon him by an obscure leader, and sought to overthrow him by fomenting dissension and inciting desertion from the Liberal camp. At the head of one body of deserters he abandoned the Liberal party, but no sooner had he reached the neutral ground dividing the two great parties than he was confronted by another body of deserters, whose leader contested with him the right of supreme command and won. From that day until now Chamberlain has been an unsuccessful man. He has not been so blind he could not see the cause of his ill success and the avenue through which he might escape further political disaster, but his pride forbade his doing at once what necessity now compels him to do. His scheme for forming a new national party of incongruous elements furnished by disgusted Whigs, misled Radicals and dissatisfied Tories has fallen through. The Unionist party, as a distinct organization, is in a moribund condition. The tide of popular feeling has set strongly in the direction of Liberal supremacy at the next election. One by one the repentant Unionists are retracing their steps into the Liberal fold, and it behooves Mr. Chamberlain to seek refuge from the danger of isolation before it shall be too late. He cannot go over to the Tories nor can he remain where he is. Therefore he must return to his allegiance to Mr. Gladstone, and his early adoption of this expedient would surprise nobody. The return of Mr. Trevelyan to the Gaabstonian ranks has made a great impression upon Mr. Chamberlain, and many of the latter's friends are prepared to see him follow the Glasgow member's example, firm in the belief that this is the only course left to him.

THE SEIZED SEALERS.

What U. S. Special Agent Tingle Has to Say.

The San Francisco *Examiner* of the 19th says: The captain of the revenue cutter Rush is proving a remarkably energetic Sheppard, the latest reports from him showing that he has gathered in a pack of fifteen wolves he found preying upon defenseless sea-calves and other innocents of the deep which make their home in Behring Sea. The utmost impartiality appears to have been shown by him in his seizures, which include British and American offenders in about equal proportion. Up till now England has paid but little apparent attention to Capt. Sheppard's proceedings, but at last she has asked for official information as to the facts. She does so in the most courteous and diplomatic terms, and with corresponding dignity the Secretary of State has furnished a certified copy of Capt. Sheppard's report of his seizure.

Colonel J. R. Tingle, the special treasury agent who arrived by the steamer St. Paul on Thursday, has spent the season up north, and is familiar with all the circumstances attending the seizures, and he speaks in the highest terms of Capt. Sheppard as an able and zealous officer, ever promptly responsive to the calls of duty.

The English vessels seized, said Colonel Tingle yesterday, were the Grace, with 769 sealskins; the Anna, with 336; the W. P. Sayward, 475; the Dolphin, 600; Mary Ellen, 395; Alfred Adams, 1,400, making a total of 3,979 skins. The American schooners were the Challenger, with 151 skins; Tillie L., 197, and the Anna, 390, making 728 skins from Americans. Captain A. P. Loud, one of my assistants, and myself captured the American schooner Angel Dolly, with 178 skins, which, with the 400 more found hidden on an island by the British schooner Lottie Fairfield, makes a grand total of 5,285 skins confiscated for violation of Section 1956 of the Revised Statutes.

Captain J. D. Warren is a very defiant and bellicose Briton, who entertains and glories in expressing his absolute contempt for the laws of the United States. He fitted out five steam schooners, four of which were seized prior to the departure of the St. Paul. He is captain of the Dolphin and pretends to have a great deal of influence with the home government. When arrested by Captain Sheppard he exclaimed with a great deal of dramatic vigor, "I would have you know, sir, that I have the English Government at my back!"

"And I have the United States Government at my back, so we both appeared to be pretty well backed, eh? was the cool response of Captain Sheppard."

Is it probable that any complications will arise between the nations on this score? inquired the reporter. "Not at all. The English Parliament understands the question thoroughly and will never make any demands upon the United States other than, perhaps, asking for the particulars relative to seizures, in order to get at the truth of complaints from subjects caught in the act and who naturally wish their government to help them out of their difficulties.

You see, when the United States purchased Alaska from Russia, we came into possession of all the rights claimed and maintained by that nation, which had always held Behring sea to be an inland sea, and therefore under its supreme control. Russia's custom was to destroy all vessels found fishing in the sea. The Revised Statutes of the United States have modified the law so that vessels may go whaling or fishing in the sea at will, but they must not catch or kill fur-bearing animals except by special permission, awarded by contract to the highest bidder for the privilege. The Alaska Commercial Company obtained this eighteen years ago for a period of twenty years. It will thus be seen that they are to be protected in their rights for two years more, at the expiration of which time a similar contract will be awarded to the highest bidder, whoever that may be. According to the present agreement the government gets $3.17½ per skin, or $317,500 for 100,000 fur-seal skins.

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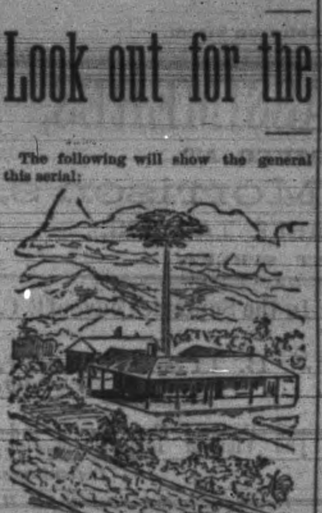

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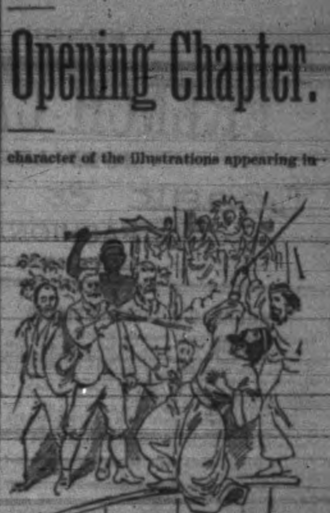

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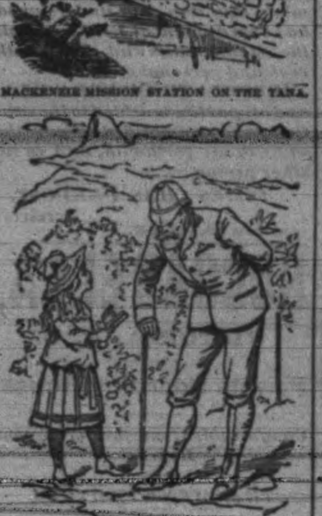

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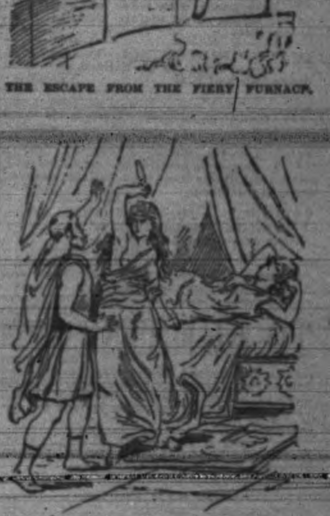

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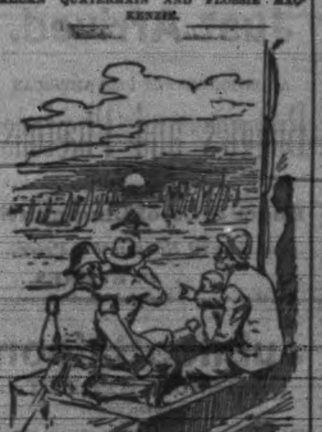

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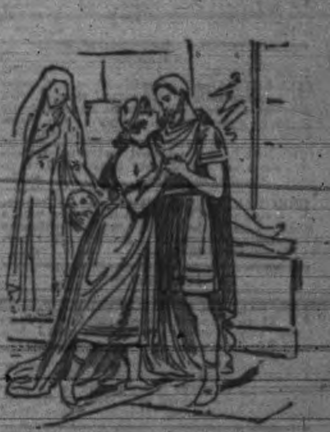

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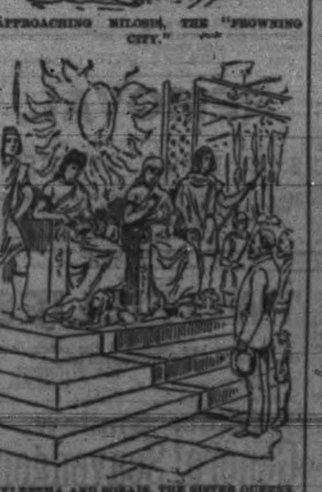

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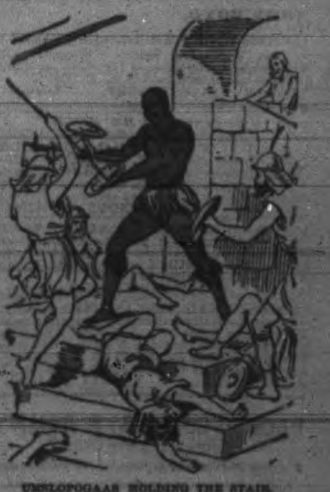

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"While writing it I was filled with an enthusiasm which transfused my being, knew no hindrance, no rival interest, no relief but in writing it. I had young children, was keeping house and teaching school at the time, and never worked so hard; but I had to write. Dinner had to be got, I knew. This had to be written, just as much—aye, and more, too! It was as though it was written through me, I only holding the pen. I was lifted off my feet. Satisfied? I never thought about being satisfied. When it was done it was finished, and relief came. I never felt the same with anything I afterward wrote. 'Dread?' Ah! yes; it was on slavery, too, but it was different. 'Poganuc People' interested me deeply. I grew to have a deep sympathy for little girls at an age and of a disposition to be misunderstood and ill treated. Dolly is a fac simile of myself as a child. I wrote it to help the other children.

HER OTHER STORIES.

"After that I wrote for money, I believe. I have felt the need, and now tasted the good of it, with more or less interest of excitement. 'My Wife and I' and 'We and Our Neighbors' should be read together; then 'The Minister's Wooing,' 'Nina Gordon,' 'The Pearl of Orr's Island,'—that is not good—but those are none of them like Uncle Tom and little Eva. Poor old Uncle Tom. Ah, so many, and so long ago!"

Here the gray eyes drop the light out of them, the thin brown hands wander to the white locks, and those knowing the dear old lady well know that soon they will be asked to excuse her while she lies down "to rest a little while."

"Ah, dear me, I am not writing anything now. I shall never write anything any more. I have done! I have done! I have done!" And she lies down a little while—"to rest."

Speaking of this wonderful woman's brain and attainments, her husband, Professor Stowe, was wont to say that he always felt like a toad sitting beside an apple tree compared with his wife. Yet he was a very learned man, a professor in Cambridge university, and was one of those who helped translate the New Testament. He was a great book lover, and was known for his basket of books which he carried on his arm, without which he never appeared, at home or abroad, morning, noon or night.

His death, about two years ago, has added years to the loving wife, and broken her down more than any other of the untoward circumstances of her eventful life.

Her home adjoins that of Mark Twain, the little beaten pathway running from the simple "back stoop" of the authoress to the more solid, modern and elegant veranda of the great American humorist.—Fannie Edgar Thomas in Chicago Herald.

Pilots the World Over.

As a matter of fact, qualified pilots are pilots the world over; but as men they differ more widely as types than the races or nations to which they belong. Your New York harbor pilot is one of the gravest and quietest of living men. He is sober, demure, unobtrusive, earnest. You who annually summer in Europe, going or coming scarcely ever see him. From dress and appearance you could not even tell he was a seafaring man. This English pilot lived at Pill, at the edge of the tide, near Avonmouth, where dwell a hundred other pilots in slime, ooze, filth and drunkenness. Their women are half nude brawlers, harridans, and the husbands live rayless lives of sodden stupor, startlingly contrasting with the alertness, hardihood and daring of their hours of dangerous labor.

But a grade higher in the qualities that prompt aspiration are their brothers of the British northern coasts and the English channel. They are chiefly men who only possess emulation in their calling to the degree of securing note among their fellows for hardiness, knottiness and iron in frame, heart and life. Those of the Baltic seas are held in high esteem, not only for their bravery and skill, but in a certain respect and almost awe for their vocation which have come down, like folk lore, through the centuries, from the knowledge that old Danish law beheaded pilots for harm befalling vessels in their charge, thus adding an element of tremendous moral courage to an already unapproachably dangerous calling. Our own Pacific coast pilots are a bright, nervy, ambitious lot. The gulf, Key West and Bahama pilots are a sunny crew with more than a trace of "wrecking" taint in their warmer veins; and, while less hardy, they are full of romance and song. And your Cuban pilots—I know well the graceless throng—are nerveless slaves of a despotic regime; picturesque in color and act; bundles of excited ejaculations and oaths, and without the blood, spirit or integrity of an American barnyard fowl.—Edgar L. Wakeman's Letter.

A SLIP.

A brooklet and a pretty maid o'er mossy stones went tripping,
And then the pretty maiden said, "I'm awful 'fraid of slipping."
The saucy brooklet laughed aloud, as it ran o'er a bowlder,
And whispered, "She'd have surely slipped if he'd been here to hold her."
—W. A. Ketcham in The Century.

TO KILL THE GERMS.

Heat and Moisture as Disinfectants—Effects of Fumigation.

Articles of clothing, bedding, etc., may carry the germs of smallpox, scarlatina, diphtheria, "the itch," yellow fever or the oriental plague. When any such infection is suspected, the only way to secure safety is to heat the articles which may carry the disease for at least an hour in an atmosphere charged with superheated steam. All packages must be opened, so that the heat can penetrate to every particle without hinderance. The most intense cold that has been produced by science does not destroy the germs of disease. In the case of the United States ship Plymouth, a few years ago, the most intense cold of a Boston winter proved incapable of disinfecting the vessel from the germs of yellow fever which had before that time been supposed to be destroyed by a slight frost. Heat and moisture combined seem to be the best disinfectants to employ against disease germs of any kind on a large scale.

Burning sulphur gives off suffocating fumes which have a characteristic odor, and have long been known to possess disinfecting properties. The vapors produced in this way are composed of sulphur combined with oxygen, the sulphur dioxide of the chemists. They have a powerful affinity for water, with which they unite to form sulphurous acid, which forms compounds on its own account, termed sulphites. The sulphites are disinfectants, killing microbes and arresting, in this way, all forms of fermentation. Sulphur fumes probably act in this roundabout way, although with great rapidity, when they are used to destroy disease germs.

"Fumigation"—the subjection of articles to these fumes—is a very cheap and fairly effective method of disinfection. It must be remembered that all the higher animals are injured or destroyed, as well as the microbes of all kinds, when made to breathe these fumes unless largely diluted with air. Even in small amounts they cause irritation and inflammation of the air passages. Sulphur attacks iron with great energy, and when it is burned for disinfecting purposes this must be remembered. Cloths rolled on sticks to form tapers, dipped in melted sulphur, and ignited, after being placed upright in earth in a large iron or earthen dish, is a good way to develop the suffocating gas. The room to be cleansed should be closed carefully, and after the fumes have been allowed to fill it for an hour or two the doors should be opened from the outside and free ventilation insured before it is entered. Articles of bedding or clothing may be hung up in the room and subjected to the action of the disinfectant. Vegetable colors are bleached by the action of the gas, provided the articles to be subjected to this process are first moistened. Chlorine has the same effect, but delicate fabrics are better bleached by means of sulphur fumes, as the acid developed by the former is much more corrosive than that from sulphur.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Two Hotel Men Abroad.

Mr. Potter Palmer, the well known proprietor of the Palmer house, Chicago, is over in Europe for a little rest and pleasure. As he says: "I have no plans at all. I don't believe in traveling about over here by machinery. I don't climb up into any towers, and I don't go down into any caves. There's a good lot of this sight seeing that I take on faith. When I get tired of Paris I shall simply move on somewhere else, but just where I can't say. About European hotels? Oh I get everything I want, only I have to pay for it. Some Americans come over here, put up at a place where they only pay a few francs a day, and then go off and swear at Paris hotels. If you are willing to spend $7 a day you can be as comfortable here as anywhere else."

Another hotel man, with different ideas on this subject, is Mr. Darling, the proprietor of the Fifth Avenue hotel, New York.

"During my stay here," said he, "I always stop at the Hotel Bristol, which prides itself on being the most select hotel in Paris. Well, what is it? There is no reading room, no smoking room, no waiting room; in fact nothing at all for the convenience of the general public, and the entrance looks more like that of a stable than anything else. I have frequently occupied the suite of rooms for which the Prince of Wales is said to pay 1,000 francs a day, and I assure you that the proprietor of a first class American hotel would be ashamed to offer such accommodation to the future king of England. He does not seem to mind it, though, and will stand out in the corridor enjoying a cigar and chatting with his friends just like any one else. All his callers sign their names in a register, and he is very proud of the signatures which he has collected in that way."—Cor. New York Mail and Express.

The Longest Street Railroad.

The longest street railway in the world will be that which is to run between a number of towns near Buenos Ayres. It will also be exceptional in that sleeping cars will be run on it for the convenience of through passengers. The sleeping cars and all the other equipments of the line are being supplied by a Philadelphia firm. These sleeping cars are furnished with four berths each, which are made to roll up when not in use. The cars are furnished with lavatories, water coolers, linen presses and other conveniences, and are finished throughout with mahogany. The other rolling stock comprises four double decked open cars, twenty platform cars, twenty gondola cars, six refrigerator cars, four poultry cars furnished with coops, eight cattle cars, two derrick cars for lifting heavy material and 200 box cars.—New York Tribune.

A Financial Sign.

You can always tell when money is extremely tight on the street by the absence of the peddlers. The other day I found only two in the shadow of the stock exchange. One was a stout man, who was trying to sell silk braid at three yards for a quarter. As there was hardly a straw hat to be seen on New street he did no business, and announced finally that he was going off to hang himself with his stock in trade. The other speculator had a queer looking half breed, hairy terrier for sale. He could not get any one to even look at the beast, and when he appealed piteously to a broker with the plea that he had no money to buy his dinner with, the broker said: "You can get fifty cents for your kaiser at the [illegible] That's all I pay for my dinner now."—Alfred Trumble in New York News.

Very Plain When You Know.

When you ask a Georgia man how far it is to the next plantation, and he answers that it is "a peak and a right smart screech," he is supposed to mean that it is as far as you can see from where you stand and then as much farther as a strong voice can be heard.—Albany Argus.

If He Was Embarrassed What Was She?

An embarrassed young man who had just been married by a clergyman of this city, not knowing how to express his gratitude, in handing over a small fee, said: "I hope to give you more the next time."—Newburyport News.

No. 149.

A BY-LAW.

Passed 17th August, 1887.

To Repeal "The Water Works Commissioner and City Surveyor By-Law, 1878."

Be it enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. "The Water Works Commissioner and City Surveyor and Water Works Engineer Salary By-Law, 1878," No. 43, is hereby repealed.

2. This By-Law may be cited as a "By-Law to repeal By-Law No. 43." aug18

Victoria Water Works

Regulation By-Law.

Until otherwise ordered by the Water Commissioner by notice to be published seven days before taking effect, from the 1st day of Apr to the 30th day of September, both inclusive in each year, no consumer of the water of the said Water Works shall use such water for irrigating or street sprinkling except during the hours between five o'clock in the evening on the respective days mentioned and nine o'clock in the next following morning, namely:

In YATES STREET WARD, on Mondays and Thursdays.

In JAMES' BAY WARD, on Tuesdays and Fridays; and

In JOHNSON STREET WARD, on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

And the water of the said Water Works shall not be used for irrigating or street sprinkling outside of the limits of the said city. Consumers of water of the said Water Works will please note the above and govern themselves accordingly, as the Bylaw will be strictly enforced.

THOMAS RUSSELL,
Water Commissioner.
City Hall, May 27, 1887. may27

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Notices.

Estate of William Lohse, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE will of the deceased, dated 31st, December, 1886, has been admitted to probate by the Hon. H. P. P. Crease, a judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, and that all persons indebted to or having claims against the Estate are to make payment or application for payment, as the case may be, at the office of Mr. Theodore Davie, corner Bastion and Langley Streets, where a copy of the will can be inspected.

Dated May 31st, 1887.
THOMAS GEIGER, }
CHAS. J. PHILLIPS, } Executors.
my 31 THEODORE DAVIE. }

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

Removal of Thistles.

Owners and Agents of property within the City limits are hereby notified to remove Thistles which may be growing upon their lots, otherwise the provisions of the Thistle By-Law will be enforced.

By order of the Mayor and Council.
JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C.
City Hall, 14th July, 1887. july15

NOTICE.

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By order.
JAMES D. ROBINSON,
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City Hall, August 2, 1887. aug3 tf

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De 8.20 AM	De 2.20 PM	RUSSELL'S, Vic. W.	Ar 5.45	Ar 11.40
" 8.30	" 2.30	ESQUIMALT	" 5.30	" 11.30
" 8.55	" 2.55	GOLDSTREAM	" 5.05	" 11.05
" 9.50	" 3.50	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	" 4.10	" 10.10
" 10.00	" 4.00	COBBLE HILL	" 4.00	" 10.00
" 10.15	" 4.15	McPHERSON'S	" 3.45	" 9.45
" 10.25	" 4.25	KOKSILAH	" 3.35	" 9.35
" 10.30	" 4.30	DUNCAN'S	" 3.30	" 9.30
" 10.40	" 4.40	SOMENOS	" 3.20	" 9.20
" 11.02	" 5.02	CHEMAINUS	" 2.58	" 8.58
Ar 12.00	Ar 6.00	NANAIMO	De 2.00	De 8.00
De 12.10	De 6.10	NANAIMO	Ar 1.50	Ar 7.50
Ar 12.25	Ar 6.25	WELLINGTON	De 1.35	De 7.35 AM

CHEAP RATES.

Until further notice Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare will be issued to any point on the line, good for three days, including the day of issue.

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Return tickets to all points for a single fare save as under, will be issued on Saturdays and Sundays only, good for return, until the following Monday inclusive.

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TIME TABLE NO. 7,
Taking effect June 1st, 1887.

Burrard Inlet Route.

VICTORIA TO
Vancouver and Moodyville,
Daily except Monday, at 2 o'clock.
Saturday, at 2 o'clock.

Vancouver to Victoria.
Daily except Monday, at 13:00 o'clock.

New Westminster Route.

LEAVE VICTORIA
For New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island,
Sunday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

Plumper Pass
Wednesday, at 7 o'clock.

Leaves New Westminster for Victoria,
Monday at one p.m.; Thursday and Saturday at 7 a.m.

Tuesday, at 4 a. m.; Thursday and Saturday at [illegible] o'clock.

For Plumper Pass,
Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Steamers for HOPE and WAY LANDINGS leave New Westminster every Monday. For CHILLIWHACK and WAY LANDINGS every Thursday and Saturday.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

Steamers leave by Standard Time, which is 20 minutes faster than Victoria time.

G. A. CARLETON, Gen. Agent. JOHN IRVING, Manager.
March 21, 1887.

Hudson's Bay Company.

The following Goods, ex "TITANIA," from London, are now on sale at Lowest Market Rates:

Bags, Blankets, Fire Bricks, Candles, Carpets, Guns, Guncaps, Hessians, Mats, Matting, Paint, Rugs, Shot, Saws, Tin Plate, Provisions, Wines, Spirits and Vinegar.

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The Daily Times.

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Victoria, Wednesday, August 24, 1887

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—"The Golden Giant" to-night.

—Kurtz's Jubilee Cigars are now ready.*

—Money saved by having your plans made by FISHER, the ARCHITECT *

—The City Council meets to-night. The civic bear garden no doubt will attract a large crowd.

—Samples of the rubber sole shooting boot now ready; all kinds made to order at GEO. H. MAYNARD'S. *

—Farewell performance of the Osbourne & Stockwell Co. this evening. "The Golden Giant" will be presented.

—A large stock of Sheet Music, Music Books, Instruction Books, etc., at Waitt's Music Store. *

—The Princes of Siam and retinue will occupy the lower boxes at the Victoria this evening.

—ALL shades of "BERLIN WOOL" to be had at the "LANSDOWNE HOUSE," Yates street. JOHN PARTRIDGE, Prop. *

—Steitz Bros. are prepared to supply their celebrated ICE CREAM in quantities to suit, by the glass, quart or gallon. *

—Mr. T. Plummer, of Almonte, Ont., will be transferred to the Stratford branch of the Bank of Montreal, succeeding Mr. Farmer.

—Families requiring extra quantities of sugar for preserving purposes will find it to their advantage to purchase at FELL & Co's. *

—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R. in B. C., and views of Alaska, for sale at R. MAYNARD'S, Douglas St. †

—For a delicious MILK PUNCH or a genuine COCKTAIL go to the Pritchard House. *

—BRAND NEW STYLES in Jerseys, Lace Aprons, Linen Sets and Fancy Hair Pins at the "Lansdowne House," Yates street. JOHN PARTRIDGE, Prop. *

—Tomb and Headstones, Monuments, in Marble, imported and local Granite, Mantle pieces and Wash Stands in Marble, artistically executed, and at reasonable rates, at George Rudge's Marble Works, Douglas street, Victoria. Call and see specimens of work.

—Pendray & Co. have only sent a part of their No. 1 soap east. You can have your orders promptly filled by them on Humboldt street. *

—The people east are good judges of soap, that's just the reason they buy largely of Pendray & Co. We keep a full stock on hand of soap that is soap. You try it. *

GEO. H. MAYNARD of the CITY BOOT AND SHOE STORE, Fort street, will move into the store now occupied by Shears & Page, Government street, on the 29th [illegible]

—The Hon. Messrs. Thompson and McLelan dined at the residence of Mr. E. Crow Baker last night. A number of invited guests were present to meet these distinguished personages.

—REDUCED PRICES:—Just received over 250 patterns fine mouldings, steel engravings and all latest pictures in stock. Framing and mounting a specialty. JOS. SOMMERS, Government street. *

—D. R. MUNRO, General S. S. Agent for Cunard, Guion, Albany, Dominion, Inman and all S. S. Co.'s. Prepaid passages at most favorable rates. Every berth secured on sale. *

—The great drouth prevailing now for several weeks is the cause of destructive fires in the woods on the Sound, as well as on this Island. In some instances the smoke is so dense as to interfere with navigation.

—Rain is wanted badly. Millions of feet of lumber is being daily consumed by forest fires, which is a serious loss to the country. The city is also suffering badly, as the gardens and grass are becoming parched.

—The CITY BOOT AND SHOE STORE will keep open until 9 o'clock every evening until the 29th inst., when we will remove to Government street. All goods at cost to save trouble of moving. GEO. H. MAYNARD. *

The Parthia

Will sail from the outer wharf for Yokohama and Hongkong, on Saturday, the 27th inst., at noon.

Consignees.

Per the North Pacific to day: Angus & G. Fell & Co, Geo T Cofield, J Weiler, J Fletcher, Stan E & P Lacy, W Eckert.

A Coming Event.

A splendid wedding cake, several stories high passed over James Bay Bridge this morning. It is rumored that a part owner and occupying the position of a salesman in a large and well known furniture store on Fort street will lead one of James Bay's fairest of Eve's daughters to the hymenial altar within the next 24 hours. Both bride and bridegroom are well known in this city. Their friends felicitate them on the approaching event.

Our Visitors.

Several of the Winnipeg excursionists went east by this morning's steamer for Vancouver. Many of them go south via the Sound to Portland and California, others by the P. C. steamship to San Francisco.

The Siamese dignitaries were out all day enjoying our delightful drives. The flagship and the dry dock was visited, where they were cordially and hospitably received. Beacon Hill park and neighborhood was visited, and much admired by the oriental visitors.

His Worship Mayor Fell accompanied the Hon. Messrs. Thompson and McLelan and their wives in a drive this morning. The ladies especially were charmed with the beauty and loveliness of Victoria's natural surroundings.

The Place for Bargains.

J. Sehl has just opened, in addition to his well assorted stock of Furniture, Carpets, Oil Cloth and Linoleum, a complete line of Crockery, Glassware, Lamps, and Bar Glasses, the finest ever offered in the country, at remarkably low prices, having arrived before the advance in freight rates. *

Ostend fishermen have attacked an English fishing boat, smashed the windows and destroyed the fish.

A Hint.

The "Brussell Kid Glove" is to be found at the "LANSDOWNE HOUSE," Yates street. JOHN PARTRIDGE, Prop. *

Perfectly Silent.

Our discreet morning contemporary is perfectly silent in regard to its remarkable article on English politics. It does not even deign to correct its errors.

Court of Revision.

The court of revision was again without a quorum this morning. A day will be appointed for a meeting at the council to-night. There are only about half a dozen appeals to be disposed of.

We Want Him Here.

An Omaha man claims to have discovered a process by which gas for illuminating purposes may be produced at a cost of less than ten cents per thousand cubic feet. This man should be induced to locate in Victoria.

Cheap Goods.

Talk is cheap but if you want bargains remember that the B. C. Stationery Co. continue to sell at as low prices as any house in British Columbia of which *fact* we will convince any who favor us with a *call*. *

Pacific Coast Defences.

Ottawa *Free Press:* Major-General Sir F. Middleton says that the date of his own and Sir A. P. Caron's departure for British Columbia has not yet been settled. Possibly the rumors of war between England and Russia may cause them to hurry off to look after the defence of British Columbia.

The Norwegian Settlers.

Col. D. McGregor has returned from Squamish river, to which place he some time ago piloted a party of Norwegians. Though not long on their land these settlers have already erected some houses and sheds. In about a month, they expect their wives and children from Norway, and are making preparations for their reception.

Minnesotta's Railway King.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the St. P., M. & M. Railway in St. Paul last Saturday, the following changes were made in the directorate: D. C. Sheppard and Greenly Clark, of St. Paul, succeed Sir Donald Smith and Sir George Stephen, of Montreal. This change of directors places the whole road in the hands of J. J. Hill, and makes him virtually railway king of the American northwest.

A Model Ship.

The British ship Torridon, Captain Shephard, passed down the Straits yesterday to sea in tow of the Mastick of Seattle, having 1,116,000 feet of lumber on board for Melbourne. The Torridon is an Aberdeen built vessel by the Messrs. Hall and pronounced to be the finest specimen of sailing ship architecture which ever entered these waters. She is built of iron and said to be a fast sailer.

Nanaimo's Imports.

The steamer Empire, which sailed from San Francisco for Nanaimo on the 19th inst., had on board the following consignments for that port: 51 cs canned goods, 840 lbs lard, 7646 lbs sugar, 180 lbs tea, 1075 lbs butter, 5500 galls coal oil, 58 sks bran, 121 ctls barley, 13,250 lbs malt, 173 lbs hops, 37 sks potatoes, 61 bbls flour, 311 lbs dried fruit, 7000 cartridges, 1 cs shells, 1 cs guns, 87 feet lumber, valued at $4,388.

Tony Cigars.

Important.

The goods damaged by water in consequence of the *fire* in the Arcade building will be sold at private sale commencing on Tuesday at Spencer's Arcade. Brussels Carpets, Tapestry Carpet, Felt and Hemp Carpet, Rope Matting, Kidderminster and Three-ply Carpets, Hearthrugs, Mats.

Men's and Boys' Hats, Caps, Ties, Gloves, Shirts, Socks, Underwear; also the goods damaged by the smoke. All goods will be marked in plain figures and sold for cash only. *

Black and Tan Cigars.

Scottish Games.

At the annual gathering of the Caledonian and St. Andrew's Society of New Westminster, on the 1st of September, there will be competition in all the national games and sports, for which liberal prizes are offered. Among the attractions will be a tug of war between New Westminster and Vancouver, a bagpipe contest, a grand ball in the drill shed in the evening, and a hose reel contest open to all comers. The society's medal will be given the best all-round athlete. The round trip fare from Victoria has been fixed at $3, which will doubtless insure a large attendance from this city.

Gladstone Cigars.

Laying Corner Stones.

Odd Fellows' attending the laying of the corner stone on Saturday of the Odd Fellows' Hall, at New Westminster, will upon application to Fred. Davey, Grand Secretary, be able to obtain tickets for the round trip for three dollars.

Arrangements have been made between the grand officers of the Masonic and Odd Fellow's Lodges to join processions, and march to the spot where the corner stone is to be laid by the Masons; the Odd Fellows surrounding the Masons during the ceremony. After this stone has been laid, the Odd Fellows' will proceed to lay the second corner stone, the Masons surrounding the Odd Fellows'. The ceremony will begin at 2 p. m.

Give Them a Chance.

That is to say, your lungs. Also all your breathing machinery. Very wonderful machinery it is. Not only the larger air-passages, but the thousands of little tubes and cavities leading from them.

When these are clogged and choked with matter which ought not to be there, your lungs cannot half do their work. And what they do, they cannot do well.

Call it cold, cough, croup, pneumonia, catarrh, consumption or any of the family of throat and nose and head and lung obstructions, all are bad. All ought to be got rid of. There is just one sure way to get rid of them. That is to take Boschee's German Syrup, which any druggist will sell you at 75 cents a bottle. Even if everything else has failed you, you may depend upon this for certain. *

AN IMPORTANT MOVEMENT.

Federation of the Episcopal Dioceses in Canada.

Several of the Episcopal Church clerical and lay delegates from Winnipeg called yesterday on His Lordship Bishop Hills, who, in the warmest terms, expressed the pleasure and delight it gave him to meet so many of his brethren from Eastern Canada. His Lordship it is reported warmly favors and supports the scheme of a federation of the several synods in the Dominion. The subject was ably discussed at the recent meetings of synods in the east and in Winnipeg, and found favor in the eyes of a majority of the delegates. Several leading clergymen in this city were also interviewed and with satisfactory results. Lay members it is understood likewise favor the scheme. Archdeacon Woods, of New Westminster, in the absence of Bishop Sillitoe, pronounced himself in its favor. It is believed by many zealous workers in the cause of the church that a union is not far off, nor is the day very remote when we in Victoria may expect to see the Synod of the United Church assemble in this city. The Episcopalians in this respect are but following the course adopted with such excellent results by the Presbyterians and Methodists, all strong and powerful organizations. Bishop and Mrs Hills were delighted in being able to entertain so many brethren, for not in the 27 long years His Lordship has ministered here was he visited by so many distinguished clergy and laymen.

A number leave for their homes in the east to-night, well pleased with their trip and the reception accorded them during their sojourn.

MARINE.

The bark Hiasstreen, in ballast, from Honolulu, passed up the Straits last night for Hastings where she will load with lumber.

H. M. S. Caroline was undocked this morning.

New Metlakahtla.

The Ancon on the last trip north landed a sawmill and about fifty tons of freight at Port Chester, on the west side of Annette Island, for the Metlakahtla Indians who are removing to that place. Permission has been obtained from the Washington authorities to occupy Annette Island and become citizens of the United States.

Esquimalt Notes.

H. M. S. Caroline floated from the dock at 9:30 this morning. The ponderous machinery for opening the caisson was set to work at 9:15 and in less than fifteen minutes the warship was floating in the harbor. Mr. Connolly had charge of the arrangements and is justly proud of the manner in which the two warships entered and left the dock. Messrs. W. Bennett, C. E., F. O'Rielly and W. F. Bullen were present.

Admiral Sir Michael Culme-Seymour entertained Admiral Vignes and staff at dinner last evening. A salute was fired when the distinguished party arrived at the flag ship. The band, under Signor Agius, played the English and French national airs, and were highly commended by the visiting Admiral.

An entertainment will be given at Esquimalt this evening. The people are making arrangements to receive a large number of visitors and promise a first-class performance.

The Elder's Freight.

Amongst the Geo. W. Elder's consignee list, which reached Victoria Monday evening, were 4,254 cases green and dried fruits for Victoria, 174 cs canned goods, 71,368 lbs sugar, 1,011 lbs coffee, 530 lbs tea, 681 lbs butter, 559 lbs hams, 13,050 lbs malt, 120 lbs lard, 338 lbs tobacco, 2 rolls leather, 6 sewing machines, 110 kegs nails, 20 kegs spikes, 14½ bbls beer, 2 cs and 8,500 cartridges, 3,000 paper shells, 5,000 primers, 4 cs guns, 2 cs rifles, 201 ft. lumber.

The shipments elsewhere were as follows: To St. Louis, 3,429 sks beans; to Chicago, 44,310 lbs dried apricots, 650 sks beans; to Des Moines, 28,452 lbs sugar; to Philadelphia, 22,500 lbs dried apricots; to Portland, Me., 110 bbls salmon; to Winnipeg, 175½ galls wine; to Japan, 100 bbls flour, 160 bags hoofs.

The value of the shipments to the various points elsewhere were: To—

British Columbia	$15,540
St. Louis	4,326
Chicago	6,691
Des Moines	1,708
Philadelphia	2,925
Portland, Me.	1,485
Winnipeg	175
Japan	950
Total	$33,800

The Barnard Castle.

Messrs. Larkin & Patterson, the well known contractors, this (Wednesday) morning purchased the steam collier Barnard Castle, now lying on the rocks near the Race Rocks light house. It will be remembered that the Castle whilst on her way to San Francisco last fall, coal laden from Wellington, in charge of Capt. Urquhart ran ashore near where she now lays. After striking she floated for 4½ hours, and then settled, her stern down. Efforts have been made by San Francisco wreckers to get her afloat, but without success. Her cargo consisted of 2000 tons of coal and belonged to Mr. Dunsmuir, who also owned the vessel. A few days ago Capt. Birmingham, finding that the wreckers were making but slow progress, decided to abandon the vessel and throw up the job, it being his belief that the damage was more serious than at first anticipated. Messrs. Larkin & Patterson chartered a tug and went out to the scene of the wreck this afternoon. Preparations will be made to get her afloat and brought to the drydock for repairs. It is to be hoped these gentlemen will be as successful in their new departure as they have proved themselves to be in the other works undertaken by them.

The Victoria.

A very large audience was present at the Victoria Theatre last night, when "The Shadows of a Great City" was presented by the Osbourne-Stockwell Company of San Francisco. The story of the play is one of deep interest, and it is told by excellent acting and realistic scenery, in such a manner as to be indelibly impressed upon the memory. "Nathans," the pawnbroker, the part taken by Mr. Osborne, and "Jim Farren" a street Arab and professional convict, by Mr. Stockwell, were the two central figures in the play. Their impersonations were unexceptional, and notwithstanding they were, with "George Benson," the villains of the piece, their appearance upon the stage was always a signal for applause. They have succeeded where many failed and by striking out in new lines have popularized in a certain sense, a couple of the most repulsive representatives of life in the great city. Miss Ethel Brandon appeared in the double role of Annie and Ellen Standish, and proved herself a careful actress. Hattie Moore was a genuine volatile, kind hearted Irishwoman, whose brogue was as natural as though it had been learned in the heart of the green isle. The closing performance will be given to-night, when "The Golden Giant" will be played. The lower boxes have been engaged by the Siamese princes now in the city, while the rest of the party will have seats in the dress circle. The house, we feel assured, will again be crowded.

Editor Katkoff left an estate valued at 2,000,000 roubles.

ON THE WING.

Movements of People We Know and have Read of.

Rev. A. L. Parker, of Eugene City, Oregon, is at the Revere House.

Mrs. E. Crow Baker returned last night from a visit to the Harrison Hot Springs.

Mr. E. M. Johnson returned from his visit to the Big Bend last night.

Mr. Ben Gordon, of Messrs. Angus & Gordon, returned from the mainland last night.

Amongst the Yosemite's passengers last night were Messrs. C G Ballentyne, C C Fisher and J R Tait.

Mr. A. B. Gray, who has been confined to the house for some days from an attack of rheumatism, is recovering and able to be about again.

Mrs. T. J. Barnes and sons passed Donald to-day on their homeward journey. They will reach Victoria to-morrow night.

Mr. F. C. Ambridge, traveling auditor on the western division of the C. P. R., has been transferred to a similar position on the Pacific coast division.

Mr. S. T. McIntosh, manager of the C. P. R. telegraph office, New Westminster, is on a flying visit to the capital city. He returns in the morning. Mr. McIntosh is now in excellent health. He reports an enormous increase in the business of the New Westminster office; the staff now comprises close upon a couple of dozen, and still they are unable to keep abreast of the work.

Mr. W. Leggo, Master-in-Chancery, Winnipeg, is a guest at the Clarence. Mr. Leggo takes a very active part in the work of the church. Was one of the first to suggest the idea of its being federated. He thinks the day not far distant when the scheme will be a success. He is a worthy citizen of Winnipeg and held in great esteem by the people of that city.

Passengers by the North Pacific: J L Wright, Thompson, S Langdon, Mrs Holman, Coles, wife and son, R Watson, W H Bailey, Short, R Watkins, W F Hughes, J McNair, Dugo, Indian woman and child, C H Hall, C B Cole, Davids, J Bradley, L P Sharer, H Wittinberg, T Stannick, L Merrifield, Mrs Joyce, Mrs Statton and 2 children, W Mitchell.

By the Yosemite last night there arrived from the mainland, M Sullivan, H G Tippet, Miss E Lawson, W Steel, S H Romans, C Munro, S McIntosh, Rev G C Peterson, A B Cameron, Mrs S M Nelson, Fred Nelson, Bishop Le Jeune, D Geddes, H Ramsay, C G Ballentyne, Miss Westcott, B Gordon, Mrs E C Baker, J R Tait, K Silverman, G Doering, Rev C C Fisher, E M Johnson, J McCartney, T Gowdy, M J Matherson, J Richards, Miss Williams, A J Purdy, F M Mellish, A M and Mrs Nelson.

The Royal Visitors.

The Siamese Princes and their retinue of attendants were passengers on Tuesday night from the mainland by the Yosemite. A large crowd had congregated at the wharf to catch a glimpse of these real live scions of blood royal. His Worship Mayor Fell went on board as soon as a landing was effected accompanied by Mr. Charles Gabriel. Introductions then took place. His Worship escorted the party to the Driard, where apartments had been secured for them in advance. The party numbers twenty-two in all. They are very gentlemanly and able to converse fluently in English as well as other European languages. The Princes royal are young boys, but active, bright and extremely intelligent. They will embark by the Parthia for Hongkong to-morrow. Here a couple of the attendants will separate from the party, their services being no longer necessary.

A slight unpleasantness is reported from Vancouver in connection with the baggage of the party. It is said that the Customs officer there insisted on an inspection being made of the party's baggage. Such a request was at once remonstrated against by the officials in charge of the party. The matter was finally arranged, but not until the departure of the Yosemite had been delayed a considerable time. It is claimed that the action of the customs officer at Vancouver was merely a piece of over officiousness on his part, for they had already traveled thousands of miles in the country and passed many custom officers without any hindrance or molestation. The affair, although in itself trifling, has left a unpleasant impression on the royal party. Mr. Bowell may have been quite justified in demanding an inspection, if not he certainly over-stepped his duties in acting as he did.

THE DEVIL AND HIS IMPS.

To THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR—The Rev. J. E. Starr is reported to have given utterance to sentiments last Sunday evening which come with extreme bad grace from an Ambassador of Christ. During the delivery of his discourse on the occasion referred to he is said to have stated that if the Devil was Mayor (which he is not) and had six imps from the bottomless pit as Councilors, they would not blink at and fail to carry out and enforce the laws of this city worse than the present Mayor and Council. In my humble opinion such utterances are in questionable taste, and come with sorry grace from a man whom we are led to believe was chosen as one of God's elect to go forth into the world and preach the Gospel of truth and brotherly love. If brother Starr thinks he can gain cheap notoriety by insinuating as a fact—he might just as well have said so plainly—that Mayor Fell is the Devil and Councillors Braden, Coughlin, Styles, Higgins, Harris and Barnard are his imps. When the reverend gentleman makes use of such expressions or similes in regard to these gentlemen, I will observe in Western parlance, that he has struck the wrong lead. If such be the estimation in which the Rev. Mr. Starr holds these gentlemen, it is his just and bounden duty to retire to his closet and there, secluded from every one else, and worldly care, hold converse with his Heavenly Father, and implore his earnest leniency in behalf of these erring brethren. Not only in private should Mr. Starr invoke Heavenly aid in bringing to a fuller knowledge of gospel things generally the Mayor and his Council, but he should to go them in person and implore them to change their ways and point out to them the narrow way which leadeth to everlasting life. His conduct in the pulpit last Sunday night not only was unchristian, but it was cowardly in Mr. Starr to attack gentlemen who are not so privileged as he claims himself to be in consequence of his cloth, a position in society which everyone is taught to respect when in the right, but when in the wrong calls forth the contempt of every right thinking

CITIZEN.

—From Surgeon-General Bergin, M. D. M. P., Ottawa, May 21, 1884.—Mr. B. Laurance.—Dear Sir: I cannot let you leave the city without expressing my satisfaction with the spectacles I had from you. I find that I can read the smallest print perfectly and without fatigue to the eye, for an hour or more, which I have not hitherto been able to do since I commenced the use of spectacles. B. BERGIN, M.D.

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Alumina.

Sulphate of Sodium.
Sulphate of Magnesia.
Chloride of Potassium.
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One wine gallon contains 80¼ grains solid mineral matter.

These Springs which are similar by analysis to the famous Baden Baden Springs of Germany are recommended by the medical profession for the cure of Dropsy, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Paralysis, Sciatica, Dyspepsia, Salt Rheum and Eczema, Mercurial poisoning, venereal diseases, Dypsomania. Infallible in all nervous complaints, Malaria, Fever and Ague. Ladies will derive much benefit from these waters in all cases while they are excellent for the complexion.

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The finest pleasure and health resort in America unexcelled boating, fishing and hunting, free camping grounds, boats and camping outfits to be hired on the premises.

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NOTICE.—Sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres pastoral land, situated on Salt Spring Island, Cowichan District, commencing at the northwest corner of Pierer Roberts' pre-emption claim, then following the meanderings of the shore line to the northeast corner of Pottinger's claim to point of commencement. The above is the land formerly occupied by John Henning, and now abandoned by him. A. R. JOHNSTON.

Salt Spring Island, Aug. 15, 1887. au16 2m law

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one thousand acres of arable land in the Kootenay District and described as follows.

Commencing at a post within thirty chains of Six Mile (or Jubilee) Creek; thence northeast four miles; thence northwest about half a mile; thence southwest four miles; thence southeast about half a mile to initial post.

J. G. NORRIS.
Joseph's Prairie, Kootenay.

June 11th, 1887. july11 law 2m

LAND NOTICE.—The undersigned give notice that they have applied to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 1280 acres more or less on Thetis Island, Cowichan District, namely, starting from a post to the north-west of H. Severne's land on the shore, round the coast line eastwards to E. Cartwright's north-east corner post, thence due west to point of commencement.

H. SEVERNE.
A. R. JOHNSTON.

June 20th, 1887. jy2-law2m

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase all the unoccupied and vacant land on the north end of Thetis Island, contiguous to the pre-emption claim of Charles Myers, containing 200 acres, more or less; also Tent Island, lying southeast of Keeper Island, containing thirty acres, more or less, Cowichan District.

GEO. THOMSON.

August 1, 1887. aud law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase all the land comprised in the group of Islands lying off Montague Harbor, Galiano Island, Cowichan District, viz.: the unoccupied portion of Parker Island, Twin Islands, Wise Island, Charles Island, Julia Island, Sphynx Island, Retreat Island off Retreat Cove; also the three Islands not named on chart, the whole comprising about 300 acres.

A. R. JOHNSTON.

July 20, 1887. aud law 2m

SELF-SEALING

JAM JARS,

Half-Gallons, Quarts & Pints, in case lots, or by the dozen,

—AT THE—

CHEAP VARIETY STORE

Masonic Building, Douglas Street.

JUST RECEIVED.

40,000 Grain Sacks, 2 bushel.
1,000 Dundee Bags, 3 bushel.
1,000 Wool Bags.
50 tons Coarse L. P. Salt.
50 tons Fine Dairy do., 50 lb. bags.

FOR SALE BY

THOMAS EARLE,

Wharf Street.

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JUST RECEIVED,

A SPLENDID STOCK OF

FASHIONABLE CLOTHS

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Mr. J. H. Baker is continually receiving fresh supplies of Boots and Shoes from all Fashionable Eastern Manufacturers. Some very fine lines lately opened.

Boots and Shoes made to order. Good value for your money.

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GEO. BYRNES,

AUCTIONEER.

AUCTION.

Saturday, 27th August,

AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A. M.

Buggies, Spring Wagon, Road Carts & Dog Cart.

I have been instructed by Mr. G. C. GEROW to sell by Auction, at his Work Shop, Victoria West, on the Esquimalt Road,

1 Buggy, spiral springs.
1 Phaeton.
1 Spring Wagon.
2 Road Carts.

GEO. BYRNES,
Auctioneer.

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AT NEW WESTMINSTER,

Thursday, September 1, 1887.

$300 IN PRIZES GIVEN AWAY.

Putting the Stone and Throwing the Hammer, $48; Running and Standing Long and High Leaps, $36; 400 yards, 100 yards, 3-legged and Sack Races, $51; Boys and Girls' Races, $16; Tossing the Caber, $12; Vaulting, $8; Dancing (Highland Dances), $24; Bagpipe Music, $5; Tug of War, $12; Best Dressed Boy and Girl (Highland Costume), $4; and the FIREMAN'S Hose Reel Contest, $100—$300.

DANCING on the grounds during the day and a GRAND BALL in the Drill Shed at night.

By the kindness of the managers of the C. P. N. Co. and the C. P. Railroad Company, the following rates have been secured: By the C. P. N. Co.'s steamers from Victoria to New Westminster via Fraser River or to Vancouver and return, $2, good from Aug. 31st to September 3rd. By the C. P. R., from Vancouver to New Westminster and return, one and one-half first-class fare, good from 1st to 3rd Sept. aug24 td

P. H. DONOVAN,

ARCHITECT.

Office Fort street between Blanchard and Quadra.

VICTORIA, B. C.

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase all the unoccupied land situate on the north end of Salt Spring Island and described as follows:

Commencing at the northwest corner of Lot 2; thence following the meanderings of the shore line in a northerly and easterly direction to the northwest corner of E. J. Bosman's pre-emption claim, No. 165; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence in a southerly direction, following the western boundary of section 1, Range 1 north, to the north west corner of Lot 5; thence in a northwesterly direction, following the northern boundary of Lot 4 for a distance of 46 chains, more or less; thence due north 50.70 chains; thence due west 47.95 chains to the point of commencement, containing 500 acres, more or less. A. R. JOHNSTON.

August 1, 1887. aug2 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Sections fifty-three, fifty-four, fifty-six, fifty-seven and fifty-eight on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.

Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Sections fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, twenty-four and twenty-five on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.

Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Sections seventy-nine, eighty, eighty-one, eighty-six and eighty-seven on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.

Dated 11th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Sections sixty-seven, sixty-eight, sixty-nine, seventy, seventy-four and south half of seventy-three on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.

Dated July 11, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty days from this date I shall apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of pastoral land situate on Galiano Island, Cowichan District, and described as follows:

Sections thirty-one, thirty-two, thirty-seven, thirty-eight, forty, forty-one, forty-four and [illegible] on the map deposited with the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

S. M. ROBINS,
Pp. M. W. T. Drake.

Dated 12th July, 1887. july14 law 2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to purchase 640 acres of land, situated and described as follows:

Commencing at northeast corner of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due west 80 chains, more or less, to Sooke river, thence southerly, following Sooke river to the north boundary of Section 49, Sooke District; thence N. E. along said boundary line to the northeast corner of said Section 49, thence southerly along the eastern boundaries of Sections [illegible], Sooke District, thence easterly along the north boundaries of Sections [illegible] and 12 to western boundary of R. E. Jackson's claim, thence due north to point of commencement.

MATTHEW T. JOHNSTON.

Victoria, B. C., [illegible] Dec., [illegible]

NOTICE.—Sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase all the pastoral land on Narrow Island, Trincomalee Channel, Cowichan District, said to contain one hundred and sixty acres, more or less, said Island being the abandoned pre-emption claim of J. A. [illegible].

A. R. JOHNSTON.

Narrow Island, Aug. [illegible], 1887. aug16 law 2m